

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

1-18 (Canceled)

19. (Currently Amended) A ball for use in sport or recreation to be delivered through air, the ball includes:

a smooth portion on one side of the ball having a relatively smooth surface, and the smooth portion covering greater than 50% of the surface of the ball,

a rough portion on the opposite side of the ball having a relatively rough surface, ~~the smooth portion covering between 55 and 75% of the surface of the ball, and~~

a seam located entirely on the smooth portion, ~~which the seam includes including~~ a plurality of rows of imitation stitches ~~extending proud of~~ on the surface of the smooth portion,

wherein when the ball is delivered through the air the ball deviates from an expected trajectory towards the side having the smooth surface.

20. (Previously presented) A ball according to claim 19 having a core with the smooth portion and rough portion attached to the core by attaching means.

21. (Previously presented) A ball according to claim 20 wherein the core is elastomer.

22. (Previously presented) A ball according to claim 20 wherein the core is polyurethane.

23. (Previously presented) A ball according to claim 20 wherein the core is cork.

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24. (Previously presented) A ball according to claim 20 wherein the core is hollow.

25. (Previously presented) A ball according to claim 20 wherein the core is solid.

26. (Previously presented) A ball according to claim 20 wherein the attaching means is a flexible adhesive solution.

27. (Previously presented) A ball according to claim 19 wherein the smooth portion covers 55% of the surface of the ball.

28. (Previously presented) A ball according to claim 19 wherein the smooth surface of the smooth portion is of a different material than the rough surface of the rough portion.

29. (Previously presented) A ball according to claim 19 wherein the smooth surface is selected from at least one of an elastomer and synthetic material.

30. (Previously presented) A ball according to claim 19 wherein the rough surface is selected from at least one of nap and felt.

31. (Previously presented) A ball according to claim 19 wherein the smooth surface of the smooth portion and the rough surface of the rough portion are of the same material.

32. (Previously presented) A ball according to claim 31 wherein the material is selected from at least one of an elastomer, synthetic polyurethane and leather.

33. (Previously presented) A ball according to claim 31 wherein the rough portion includes a plurality of dimples located across the rough surface.

34. (Previously presented) A ball according to claim 33 wherein the size of the dimples range between 4 to 10 mm in diameter and 2 to 7.5 mm in depth.

35. (Canceled)

36. (New) A ball according to claim 19, wherein the smooth portion covers a portion of the surface of the ball ranging from 55% to 75% of the surface of the ball.

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